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### PERSONALS.

Koy Clark is in the city from Watrous today.

N. S. Belden is in town today from his mesa farm.

Dr. C. H. Bradley went over to Santa Fe this afternoon.

Anselmo Gonzales is in town today from his Red river ranch.

Frank S. Guerin left today for Newton, Kansas, to accept a position.

Hugh Murphy, merchant at Shoemaker, is a business visitor today.

Clarence Iden returned this afternoon from a business trip to Rowe.

Mrs. W. E. Hill returned to Rowe yesterday from a short visit to relatives here.

Mrs. William Prager and daughter returned this afternoon from a trip to Kansas City.

C. F. Goddard is at Hotel Castaneda from San Francisco; H. P. Hill from Denver; J. J. Fitzpatrick from St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Secundino Romero, Mrs. M. F. Des Marais and baby left for the Romero ranch at El Cuervo yesterday.

C. N. Douglass left for Belen last night, where he is in charge of an icing plant for the Agua Pura company of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor are over from Santa Fe today. Mr. Taylor is now representing the Kansas City Baking Powder company.

General Sherman Bell has left Raton on business for the Wells-Fargo Express company. General Bell is a valued employee of this company and has been in the Gate city for about a month.

S. M. Shattuc, traveling passenger agent of the Baltimore & Ohio, went south to Albuquerque this afternoon, accompanied by H. H. Shepperd, a general agent of the passenger department of the Chicago & Alton.

### TURKISH DEFENDER OF OLD REGIME MURDERED

Constantinople, April 7. — Hassan Fehmi Effendi, editor of the liberal newspaper Serbesti, was assassinated as he was entering his office today. The government officer accompanying the editor, was wounded. The crime is believed to be political. The Serbesti has been carrying on a campaign against the committee of union and progress.

### Crazy Snake Still at Large.

Guthrie, Okla., April 7.—Chief Crazy Snake is still at large and nothing has been heard of his son, who with a deputy marshal is seeking his father. Reports to the governor's office say that all is quiet in the vicinity of the chief's old home.

### Counterfeiter Waives Extradition.

Los Angeles, April 7.—Mel Schultz, an engraver indicted at Topeka, Kan., on a charge of raising \$1 bills to \$10 was taken east yesterday. He waived his right to fight extradition proceedings.

E. G. Murphey of this city has been appointed president of the territorial pharmaceutical association to fill a vacancy caused by the resignation of Major B. Ruppe of Albuquerque.

### BURNS WANTS CHANCE TO REDEEM HIMSELF

New York, April 7.—Tommy Burns, from whom Jack Johnson wrested the heavyweight championship of the world, is anxious for another fight with the negro pugilist. Hugh McIntosh, who promoted the Johnson-Burns fight, and since has assumed the management of Burns, has announced that he had been authorized

in a cablegram from Burns to arrange for a return match.

He said he will post \$5,000 to bind such a match. Burns, he declares, was willing to fight Johnson anywhere—in Australia, America, England or France on any terms.

If Johnson does not accept, McIntosh said Burns would fight Ketcher or Kaufman, but certain terms which he would not make public at present would have to be complied with by the last named fighters.

### MEANING OF JEWISH FEAST OF PASSOVER

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Passover (Pesach, Pascha) the celebration of which the Hebrews began at sundown Monday evening is the first and greatest of the three annual feasts (Regalim) instituted by Moses, at which it was incumbent upon every male Israelite to make a pilgrimage to the house of the Lord. It was celebrated on the anniversary of the exodus from Egypt—i. e., on the 14th day of Nisan, otherwise called Abib, the period of the first full moon in the spring—and lasted eight days. In commemoration of the incidents connected with the great event of the people, it was ordained that unleavened bread only should be eaten during this festive period, whence it also bore the name Chag hamazoth (Feast of Unleavened Bread); and, further, that a lamb one year old and free from all blemish, roasted whole, together with bitter herbs, should form the meal in every house on the eve of the feast.

Prayers and thanksgiving, all with a reference to the redemption from bondage, accompanied the feast, at which the members of the family or families who had joined in the purchase of the lamb had to appear in traveling garb. At a later period, a certain number of cups of red wine were superadded to this meal, to which, as its special ceremonies and the order of its benedictions were fixed, the name Seder (arrangement) was given.

### The Paschal Lamb.

The name Passover was more strictly limited to the first day, in which the paschal lamb was entirely consumed, the reserving of any part of it to the next day being expressly forbidden. (Ex. xii, 10); and the name of Feast of Unleavened Bread belonged rather to the remaining days, on which other animal food was eaten; but the names were often used indiscriminately.

The Paschal meal, as at present celebrated among the Jews, has more the character of a hallowed family feast, with reference, however, to the great national event. Some of those who live out of the Holy Land celebrate it on the first two evenings as, owing to the uncertainty prevalent at one time with respect to the fixing of the new moon by the Sanhedrin at Jerusalem, it was ordained that the "Exiles" should celebrate all their festivals—except the Day of Atonement—on two successive days, a law still in force among the orthodox.

The regulations of the "lamb for each house," the traveling garb, etc., are abrogated, but many further symbolic tokens have been superadded; reminiscences, as it were, both of the liberation from Egypt, and the subsequent downfall of the sanctuary and empire. The order of prayers and songs to be recited on these evenings has also received many additions, and even medieval German songs have crept in as supposed to contain a symbolic reference to the ultimate fate of Israel.

### Hebrew Belief.

It is the belief of the Hebrews that one of the chief reasons for the fact that the Passover week has been observed for so many years is that the meaning of its ceremonies and the love of its observance is impressed on the children while they are very small.

The history of the Passover shows many ways in which it is indirectly of interest to the entire world and has had some bearing on the action of hundreds of generations of men whose part in the life of the world has been by no means obscure.

The feast of the Passover, or Pesach, is observed in commemoration of the deliverance of the Jews from Egyptian bondage.

Passover is like no other festival in the calendar for the everlasting hold which it retains on Jewish affections. Leaving out of account the day of atonement, Yom Kippur, which is sui generis, Passover stands at the head of all Jewish celebrations in the love and reverence it has compelled from generation after generation of Israelites. It is the leading festival of Jewish home life.

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### RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, It has pleased the Supreme Ruler of the Universe to summon from this earthly life, the beloved wife and helpmate of our friend and colleague, Dr. H. J. Mueller; therefore, be it

Resolved, That we, the members of Las Vegas Medical society, extend to the bereaved husband and family, our heartfelt sympathy and condolence.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of our society and a copy delivered to the family of the deceased.

DR. H. W. GOELITZ,

DR. C. S. LOSEY,

DR. WM. P. MILLS,

Committee.

### Hitchcock's Condition Unchanged.

Washington, April 7.—No change was noted today in the condition of either former Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock or former Representative Babcock of Wisconsin.

### ROCIADA RESORT.

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The advance sale of seats for "The Burgomaster" advertised to open on Friday morning at 10 o'clock, opened this afternoon at the box office at the Duncan opera house. "The Burgomaster" being the biggest hit of the season and owing to the great demand for tickets, it might be well to have your seats reserved early. Prices: 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50.

The following appointments of road supervisors were made by the board of county commissioners at yesterday's meeting: Juan F. Kavanaugh, of Las Vegas, to district No. 1; Daniel Urioste, of San Miguel, to district No. 2; and Jesus M. Martinez, of Chaparral, to district No. 3.

Carlsbad is today voting on a proposed bond issue of \$30,000, the proceeds to be used for the construction of a sewer system for the Eddy county seat.

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